



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
 TAKASHI MIYASAKI, et al.)
 Application No.: 09/848,292)
 Filed: May 4, 2001)
 For: UPDATING USER STATUS)
 INFORMATION OF A USER OF :
 A TERMINAL) March 1, 2006

Examiner: E. Coffy
 Group Art Unit: 2157

Commissioner for Patents
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to the documents listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

U.S. Publication No. 2001/0051887
 U.S. Application No. 09/047,348

It is noted that the foregoing application corresponds to the foregoing U.S. publication, and the Examiner is requested to review the claims as last pending in the application when reviewing the foregoing information.

The subject application has received an Office Action on the merits but has not yet received either a final action or a Notice Of Allowance. Accordingly, this Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) and is accompanied by

the \$180.00 fee specified at 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). The Examiner is requested to review the cited information in its entirety and to make an independent determination of the materiality of the information to the claimed invention. Additionally, the Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing the appropriate portion of Form PTO-1449 and returning the initialed form to Applicant with the next communication.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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